

Maryland Historical Trust

Maryland Inventory of Historic Properties number: G-I-C-200

Name: Savage Run Rd over Poplar Creek
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The bridge referenced herein was inventoried by the Maryland State Highway Administration as part of the Historic Bridge Inventory, and SHA provided the Trust with eligibility determinations in February 2001. The Trust accepted the Historic Bridge Inventory on April 3, 2001. The bridge received the following determination of eligibility.

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Eligibility Recommended <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> X	Eligibility Not Recommended _____
Criteria: <input type="checkbox"/> A <input type="checkbox"/> B <input type="checkbox"/> C <input type="checkbox"/> D Considerations: <input type="checkbox"/> A <input type="checkbox"/> B <input type="checkbox"/> C <input type="checkbox"/> D <input type="checkbox"/> E <input type="checkbox"/> F <input type="checkbox"/> G <input type="checkbox"/> None	
Comments: _____ _____ _____	
Reviewer, OPS: <u>Anne E. Bruder</u>	Date: <u>3 April 2001</u>
Reviewer, NR Program: <u>Peter E. Kurtze</u>	Date: <u>3 April 2001</u>

Maryland Inventory of Historic Properties
Historic Bridge Inventory
Maryland State Highway Administration
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MHT Number G-I-C-200

Name and SHA No. Savage River Road over Popular Lick Run/G 049 (G 4910)

Location:

Street/Road Name and Number: Savage River Road

City/Town: Merrill Vicinity

County: Garrett

Ownership: State ☒ County Municipal Other

This bridge projects over: Road Railway ☒ Water Land

Is the bridge located within a designated district: yes ☒ no

 NR listed district NR determined eligible district

 locally designated other

Name of District

Bridge Type:

 Timber Bridge

 Beam Bridge Truss-Covered Trestle

 Timber-and-Concrete

 Stone Arch

 Metal Truss

 Movable Bridge

 Swing Bascule Single Leaf Bascule Multiple Leaf

 Vertical Lift Retractable Pontoon

☒ Metal Girder

 Rolled Girder Rolled Girder Concrete Encased

 Plate Girder Plate Girder Concrete Encased

☐ Metal Suspension

☐ Metal Arch

☐ Metal Cantilever

☐ Concrete

☐ Concrete Arch ☐ Concrete Slab ☐ Concrete Beam

☐ Rigid Frame

☐ Other Type Name _____

Description:

Describe Setting: G 049 (G 4910) carries Savage River Road over Popular Lick Run in Garrett County, Maryland. Savage River Road runs generally north-south at this location; Popular Lick Run flows east-west. The bridge is located in a rural wooded setting, with no structures in view. Popular Lick Run has a wooded channel bank at this location.

Describe Superstructure and Substructure: The superstructure of G 049 (G 4910) is a single span steel beam with a precast concrete panel deck. It has a two strand welded channel railing attached to each fascia beam, with no guardrails. The span length is 23' 5", and the total bridge length is 29'. The substructure is reinforced concrete abutments and wing walls.

Discuss Major Alterations: In 1981 the concrete panel deck was installed to replace the deteriorating timber plank deck. The channel railing was also installed at this time; previously there had been no railing at all.

History:

When Built: 1935

Why Built: local transportation needs

Who Built:

Why Altered: structural improvements

Was this bridge built as part of an organized bridge building campaign: yes

Surveyor Analysis:

This bridge may have NR significance for association with:

☐ A Events ☐ Person

☐ C Engineering/Architectural

Was this bridge constructed in response to significant events in Maryland or local history: It is likely that G 049 (G 4910) is merely a more stable replacement bridge and was not constructed in response

to significant events in state or local history.

When the bridge was built and/or given a major alteration, did it have a significant impact on the growth and development of the area:no

Is the bridge located in an area which may be eligible for historic designation and would the bridge add to or detract from historic and visual character of the possible district:no

Is the bridge a significant example of its type:no

Does the bridge retain integrity of the important elements described in the Context Addendum:In 1981 the timber deck was replaced with the present concrete panel deck. The deck is considered a secondary CDE. Other than this replacement, none of the other CDE of the structure have been significantly altered or replaced. It is likely that the substructure and the beams, both primary CDE's, do retain their integrity.

Is the bridge a significant example of the work of the manufacturer, designer, and/or engineer and why:no

Should this bridge be given further study before significance analysis is made and why:While this bridge does retain its integrity, it is not a significant example of its type and does no warrant further study.

Bibliography:

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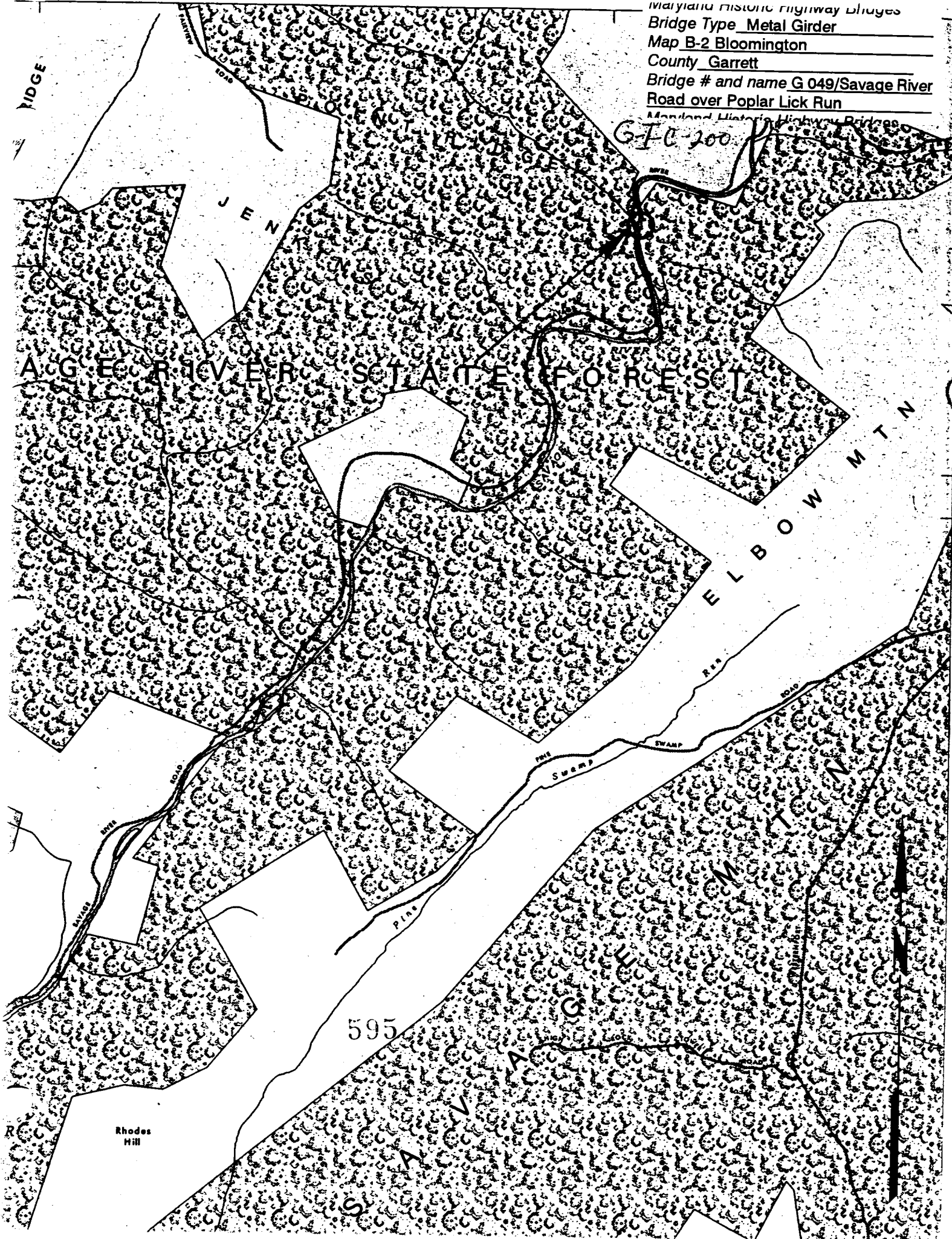
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Maryland Historic Highway Bridges
Bridge Type Metal Girder
Map B-2 Bloomington
County Garrett
Bridge # and name G 049/Savage River
Road over Poplar Lick Run
Maryland Historic Highway Bridges

G-FC-200





G-I-C-200
OVER POPULAR LICK RUN (G049)
GARRETT CO MD.
Dave King
2/19/95
SHA

NORTH APPROACH

1/21/21



G-I-C-200

PERILLOUS LICK RUN (G 049)

GARRETT CO MD

DAVE KING

1/26/95

SHD

SOUTH APPROACH

201 #1



G-I-C-200
OVER Popular Tick Run (G049)
GARRETT Co. Md

DAVE KING
1/26/95
SHA

EAST ELEVATION (DOWNSTREAM)

30' 21



G-I-C-200
OVER TORCHAR LICK RUN (G049)
GARRETT CO. MD.

DAVE KING

1/26/92

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WEST ELEVATION (UPSTREAM)

4/2/94